WEST SCRANTON

THANKSGIVING OBSERVANCE

UNION SERVICES IN PLYMOUTH CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH.

Sermon Was Preached by Rev. James Benninger of the Hampton Street M. E. Church-Others Who Participated in the Services-Donations at the West Side Hospital-Chicken Thieves in Keyser Valley-Other News Notes and Personals.

A representative assemblage attended the union Thanksgiving service in the Plymouth Congregational church yesterday morning, when the members of several congregations gathered in observance of the day. The service was opened with the singing of the doxology, and prayer was offered by Rev. Thomas de Gruchy, D. D., of the Jackson Street Baptist church. The president's proclamation was read by Rev. J. B. Sweet, D. D., pastor of the Simpson Methodist Episcopal church, and Rev. J. P. Moffat, D. D., of the Washburn Street Presbyterian ohurch,

read the Scripture lesson.

After a prayer by Rev. S. F. Mathews, of the First Baptist church, and a hymn by the congregation, the Thanksgiving sermon was preached by Rev. James Benninger, of the Hampton Street Methodist Episcopal church. His text was taken from the fiftieth psalm the fourteenth verse, thanksgiving to God and pay thy vows unto the most high." The sermon was appropriate to the occasion, and the speaker thought we should give thanks for the vast territory newly acquired, the industrial progress of the country, the growing harmony of science and religion, the unity of the different denominations and family blessings.

The sermon was instructive and helpful, and was thoroughly appreciated by all who were privileged to hear it. Rev. E. A. Boyl, of Plymouth church, spoke in behalf of the Young Women's Christian association work in West Scranton, and a special offering was taken up for the association.

The regular Thanksgiving services held yesterday at St. Mark's Lutheran church, beginning at 10.30 o'clock, with a sermon by the pastor, Rev. A. L. Ramer. Special services were also conducted at St. David's Episcopal church by the rector, Rev.

Thanksgiving Family Reunion. One of the most enjoyable family

ABOUT THIS

COUGHS and COLDS

DUFOUR'S FRENCH TAR.

gatherings of yesterday was held at the home of Rev. and Mrs. James Ben-ninger, on South Ninth street, when the latter's father, John W. Colborn, gathered around him eighteen of his sons ind grandchildren.

The occasion was a pleasurable event in many respects, and all present entered into the spirit of the event with much enjoyment.

Summoned to Philadelphia.

Mrs. A. G. Holl, of 216 South Hyde Park avenue, was informed late Wednesday night of the serious illness of her father in Philadelphia. She left at o'clock yesterday morning for Philadelphia, accompanied by her two children and brother-in-law, Paul Holl. Druggist G. W. Jenkins received a message yesterday that the old gentle-

Two Funerals Yesteday.

A high mass of requiem was cele brated at Holy Cross church yesterday morning over the remains of the late Mrs. James Noone, of Railroad avenue. The interment was made in the Cathedral cemetery.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Lena morning at St. John's German Catho- | church. lie church. The remains were interred in the German Catholic cemetery.

Donations to the Hospital.

The West Side hospital was gener ously remembered vesterday by friends. The following donations were received, for which the attendants desire to return thanks:

Mrs. Phillips, turkey and vegetables; William Trostel, turkey; Ralph Williams, a little patient in the hospital, turkey; Mrs. Lewis Morse, box of crackers, cranberries and vegetables; Mrs. Richard Reese, fruit; Ambulance Fund, sugar, coffee and olives; Mrs. Saunders, pie.

Family Sorely Afflicted.

Death has visited the family of Henry J. Davis, of 355 North Lincoln avenue, three times within the past three months. First, Mrs. Davis died, then an infant child passed away, and yesterday Edward, aged twenty years, succumbed to an attack of typhoid fever.

The family have the sympathy of the entire community in their affliction. The funeral of Edward will be announced later.

Chicken Thieves in Keyser Valley. Residents of the Keyser Valley are complaining bitterly of chicken thieves, who have been operating in that vicinity of late. A number of henneries have been visited and some valuable stock carried away.

Milkman David Price, of Keyser avenue, is a heavy loser as a result of these depredations, and the thieves have even gone so far as to dig up potatoes in the gardens and carry them

GENERAL NEWS NOTES.

Ground was broken yesterday for the foundation of the new Patriotic Order

WATCH THIS SPACE TOMORROW FOR DETAILS OF A HALF PRICE SALE IN LADIES' FASHIONABLE NECKWEAR. OR YOU CAN FIND ALL YOU WANT TO KNOW IN THE **EVENING PAPERS** OF THIS DATE.

Globe Warehouse

Sons of America building on North Main avenue. The Young People's Dancing class

will meet tonight in Mears hall. Hon. John F. Reynolds, wife and children, of Carbondale, were the guests yesterday of Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Reynolds, of South Sumner avenue. Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Green, of Syra-

cuse, N. Y., spent Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. William Price, sr., of South Main avenue. Charles Edwin Sweet, of Syracuse university, son of Rev. J. B. Sweet, is spending the Thanksgiving holiday

with his parents at the Simpson Methodist Episcopal parsonage. Rev. David Evans, of Sterling, Pa., was the guest of Rev. J. B. Sweet dur-

ing the first of the week. The members and friends of Simpson church are making very complete plans for the entertainment of the twentieth century convention to be held in their

church on Monday and Tuesday next. Miss Lynda Jones, of Brooklyn, N. "., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Jones, of Academy street. An oyster supper was served last

evening at the home of Mrs. Phillips, on North Rebecca avenue, by the Baptist Young People's union of the First Baptist church. A graphophone entertainment was also a feature of the

A large number of young people attended the sunrise prayer meeting in the Washburn Street Presbyterian church yesterday morning. The meeting was led by Rev. Frank J. Milman Shiffer was largely attended yesterday of the Sumner Avenue Presbyterian

> The young people of the Washburn Street Presbyterian church held a social in the lecture room last evening, which proved to be an enjoyable event. The newly-elected officers of the Washburn street Bible school are: Superintendent, W. T. Burrall; assistants, R. J. Williams, E. A. Cruttenden: secretary, M. G. Dimmick; assistants, Herbert Waters, William Reitnauer: treasurer, F. H. Thornton; Ilbrarian, A. E. Morse; assistants, Turvey Breece, Watkin Williams, Harry Niemyer, Walter Evans, Edith Hutton; chorister, D. A. Stone; planist, Mrs. W. S. Bevan; assistant, Miss Gertrude Barrowman. St. Cecilia's Total Abstinence society held their annual entertainment and dance in Mears' hall last evening. A programme consisting of songs, recitations and instrumental selections was

NORTH SCRANTON NOTES.

the dance music.

rendered. The Star orchestra furnished

Union Thanksgiving Services Conducted in Methodist Episcopal Church-Other Notes.

The union Thanksgiving Day services in North Scranton were held yesterday morning at the Providence Methodist Episcopal church, and were in charge of the pastor of that church Rev. G. A. Cure. A large congregation, representing the Methodists. Presbyterian, Christian and Baptist denominations, was present. On the pulpit platform were seated Revs. Mr. Cure, Reading, Clymer, Reese and Da-The choir of the Methodist church led in the singing, Miss Belle

Green presiding at the organ. The services opened with the singing by the congregation of "From all who dwell beneath the skies, let the Creator's praise arise," following which Rev. S. G. Reading read Psalms 100 and 147 as a Scripture lesson, and Rev. R. W. Clymer offered prayer. The anthem, "Trust in the Lord," was rendered by the choir. A collection in behalf of the Home for the Friendless was taken and the congregation united Rev. R. G. Reese, pastor of the Puritan Congregational church, then preached the sermon of the day. His text was Matt. xiii; 33, "The kingdom of heaven is like unto leaven, which a woman took, and hid in three measures of meal, till the whole was leav-His subject was "Supreme Thanks for the Spiritual Leaven of the Kingdom of Heaven." In the course of his sermon, Rev. Mr. Roese said: "We should be thankful for the prosperity of our country; thankful for the quiet manner in which the great political campaign was conducted. We can thank God that we are living in an age of splendid opportunities and stirring activities. We can thank God that we are living in the best land and under the best government in the world. But supremely we thank God for the spiritual leaven of His king-

dom.
"Its leavening influence is felt in all lirections. First, in the manifestaion of our people in sending their children to the Sunday school. Millions of boys and girls are constantly coming inder its benign influence. Again, this leaven of the kingdom is seen in the literature of our land. More religious journals and books are published than ever. The Bible surpasses all other publications. We have often heard the assertion that the Bible is losing its hold upon the people, but

it is not true. "Again, we see the influence of the spiritual leaven in the realm of woman. It has elevated woman to the sphere she holds today, and the day should not be far off when she will be given the right of franchise co-equal with man and will assert that privilege for the future glory of the nation, the state and the home. Again, we see the leavening influence of the kingdom of heaven in the growing unity of Christians. Denominationalism fails and crumbies away before

the kingdom of Christ. "All evangelical bodies will work to gether for the salvation of man. We see also the leaven of interest among our young people as never before. A few days past, Philadelphia had 17,000 delegates of a young people's society gathered there magnifying and praising God. We may be clad in different pharaphernalia, but lev us stand side by side and rank by rank and fight the battles of our Lord, thus bringing to us still greater measures of thankful-

The service closed with the singing by the congregation of "All Hall the Power of Jesus' Name." The benedictions was pronounced by Rev. W. F.

"A Convict's Daughter."

"A Convict's Daughter" was the play given at the Auditorium last evenlug by the Keystone Dramatic and Literary club of this part of the city. There was a large attendance. The play is of the melodrama order with a number of sensational scenes, and these were cleverly portrayed by the Keystone's

The east of characters was as fol-ows: G-raid Weston, J. J. Thomas; Colonel Matthew Lee, J. J. Boland; Worthington, J. J. Murphy; Robert Pinkerton, Frank Mason; Mrs. Lee, Miss Maggle Burke; France, Miss Liz-gle Dougherty; Sarah, Miss Katie Mac-ion. Specialties were introduced between the acts by J. J. Gallagher, F. Cullen, J. A. Washburn.

Events of Yesterday. At the Welsh Baptist Memorial church on Wayne avenue, there were atternoon and evening meetings yesterday, both of a social nature. The pastor, Rev. W. F. Davies, made addresses at each. In the evening the affair was in the hands of the young neople of the church and Sunday school and a programme of music and recitations was enjoyed by a large audi-

The Thanksgiving Day dinner and supper served yesterday by the Ladies Ald society of the Court Street Methodist Episcopal church were liberally patronized. The occasions also afforded a pleasant social time for many of the visitors, all of whom thoroughly enfoyed the early afternoon and evening hours. The patronage given the ladies was of the most encouraging nature, and as a result their treasury had a considerable increase. Upwards of four hundred persons partook of dinner and supper.

TOLD IN BRIEF.

The West Ridge and Providence Coal companies' mines were the only coal operations in North Scranton to work full days yesterday. At the former, however, there was not a full complyment of employes, and the breaker ran

slow much of the day.

Many of the sidewalks along North Main avenue, which were lower than the recently-laid pave, have been raised the past few days. This work is being hurried on orders from the street commissioner, whdo wants the walks fixed up before winter sets in

GREEN RIDGE NOTES.

Congregations of Five Churches Unite in Green Ridge Presbyterian Church-Other Notes.

The union Thanksgiving services at the Green Ridge Presbyterian church yesterday were unusually interesting and impressive. The church was beautifully decorated with palms and white chrysanthemums. There was special music by the choir under the direction of G. F. Whittemore, and a solo "O, Love Divine," by Miss Vernie Seibert, of Brooklyn, N. Y.

Seated on the platform with the pastor, Rev. I. J. Lansing, were Rev. L. R. Foster, assistant pastor, Rev. Dr. W. G. Simpson, paster of Asbury M. E. church: Rev. William J. Ford, pastor of Green Ridge Baptist church Rev. Mr. Messenger, of Primitive M. E. church, and the Rev. Mr. Lees, of the United Evangelical church.

The services opened with the doxology, sung by the congregation, after which Rev. L. R. Foster read the president's Thanksgiving proclamation. Rev. W. G. Simpson offered prayer and the scriptural lesson which was the 145th Psalm was read by Rev. W.

Lev. I. J. Lansing preached the sermon, taking for his text the 117th "O praise the Lord, all ye nations: praise Him all ye people, for his merciful kindness is great toward us; and the truth of the Lord endureth forever. Praise ye the Lord." An English statesman had recently made the statement, he said, that the United States was the greatest nation on the earth. We are also the only people who have a national Thanksgiving day. This is more than an annual thanksgiving day, it is the last thanksgiving day of a century wonderful in its developments and progress. Dr. Lansing reviewed the uses we have for thankfulress in last century under four heads, First-the spread of the area of

civilization; second, the development of inventive genius; third, the increase and spread of human sympathy; fourth and best, the spread of the gospel of Christ.

Beginning with the Atlantic coast of our own country he traced the progress of civilization and its influences from the beginning of the century acres our own country then to the Sandwich islands -changed from the home of cannibals to the home of a civilized people sending messages to the islands of the sea. There he pictured the changes in Japan, Australia, New Zoland, and Africa, half a century ago a country without a map and an open sore to the civilized world, now teeming with life from north to south and east to west and receiving the consideration of the whole commercial world.

the work of the missionaries. Take as and that their efforts were appreciated a sample case the saving of the legation at Peking by the ability of Inmowell a M. E. missionary who was able to fortify the city because of his military training; the establishment of republics; the spread of education; the power of the common man who is the power of the nation, because what he says goes and what he demands is done. Lincoln was an example of this class.

"The Merry Milkmaids."

"The Merry Milkmalds," a very protty little cantata, by Charles H. Gabriel, was rendered last evening before a large audience in the parlors of the Green Ridge Presbyterian church, by the Saturday evening class, under the direction of Chorister G. F. Whittemore, assisted by Miss Jessie Pol-hemus and Miss Minuie Peck, of the choir, and a number of musicians from Bauer's orchestra.

The music was tuneful and snappy. and each of the principal characters vere well chosen and received a liberal amount of well-earned applause. The solo parts were: Queen, Miss Jessie Polhemus; Dorothy, Miss Minnie Peck; Monica, Miss Daisy Perry; Ruth, Miss Elizabeth Palmer; Janet, Miss Ethel Shoemaker; Juanita, Miss Jessie Cavelle: Margery, Miss Mary Greeley; 'ommodore and Beggar, Greer Parke; Doctor and Peddler, Fred Gunster. Others taking part were G. F. Whitemore, Floyd Fuller, George Huber, Fred Smith, and the Misses Lella Woodruff, Grace Burns, Jeanette Mitchell and Fannie Lindsay. The arge and well-drilled chorus were young ladles and gentlemen taken rom different Sabbath school classes. The cantata will be repeated this af-ternoon at 2.30 o'clock, and the price of admission will be reduced from twenty-five to ten cents.

OTHER NOTES.

Norman Parke is spending Thanksgiving vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Parke, corner of Adams avenue and Green Ridge street. Green Ridge lodge, Independent Order of Odd Fellows, held an interesting meeting last evening in Masonic Dickson avenue. This lodge initiated more new members last term than any other lodge of Odd Fellows in this district

SOUTH SCRANTON REPORT ON

IMPERIAL SOCIAL CLUB'S FIRST ANNUAL SOCIAL.

Conducted Last Night at St. John's Hall-Entertainment at St. Paul's Church-Funeral of Julia Kraemer Held from Home on Prospect Avenue-Dolan Was Unmusical and Was Arrested-Fred Helning Injured-Other Minor Happenings and Personal Mention.

The Imperial Social club, a recently organized society, composed of many f the prominent young men of South Scranton, gave their first annual entertainment and reception to a crowded house, last evening, in St. John's hall on Stone avenue.

The hall was elaborately decorated and festooned with flags and palms, and presented an exceedingly attractive appearance. After the entertainment the hall was cleared and dancing

was indulged in until a late hour. The following was the programme as rendered: Duet, Miss T. Fagan and M. Jordan; solo, Master John Washburn; recitation, Miss Lizzie Needham; sand tig. James Sullivan: vocal solo Miss Sadie Durkin; solo, Master Thos. Jordan; recitation, Miss Lizzie Davis; solo, John Mangan; selection, Colum-umbus quartette; buck and wing dancing, Lynch and Sullivan; solo George Moray: recitation, Katie Callahan; solo, Florence Fagan; Peter Smith: whistling solo, Charles Graham: solo, Maggle Almsby: closs dance, Thomas Lynch; solo, Blanche Grogan; solo, Nellie Lynett; topical

song, Harry Grattan. The Ladies' Ald society of St. Paul's Evangelical church, Prospect avenue, gave a supper in the basement of the church last evening, which was very well attended. In addition to the supper a fine literary and musical programme was rendered by local talent.

The following was the programme: Address of welcome, President J. Gnoss; song, church choir; recitation, Miss Alice Naegeli; recitation, Miss Kate Sames: recitation, T. Daubeitshauser; song, church choir; vocal solo, Miss Anne Etzrotz: solo, Miss Lizzie Oeftering: duet, Misses Schmitz and Yozzi; address, Rev. Ballhorn; recitation, Miss Margaret Hoffman: vocal solo, Miss Nellie Saft; recitation, Miss Maud Gschwindt; choir: two short dialogues, by Misses Klein, Saft, Leyh, Koppki, Benke, Carrie Klein and Misses Kaser, Theidt Saft, Gossler, Schneider and Gnoss,

Funeral of Julia Kraemer.

The funeral of Julia Kraemer, the young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Kraemer, of Prospect avenue, took place yesterday afternoon and largely attended. Services were held at the house and cemetery by Roy, Peter Christ, after which interment was made in St. Mary's cemetery, The pallbearers were: Anna Martin, Mary Martin, Freda Krasmer, Kate Hamm, and the flower bearers were: Frances Baer and Emma Martin.

Dolan Was Unmusical.

One Patrick Dolan, from the flats, employed as a laborer by the Dale Brick company, was given a half hell-day yesterday, and immediately procoeded to get drunk, which feat was and private, for services of this charsoon accomplished. In that state he acter throughout the country. The rewas found on Cedar avenue last night, lations of the division of forestry with in a hilarious mood, and proceeded to practical lumbermen and tree plangive the resilents in that locality a ters have been closer and more useful serenade, intermingled with oaths and than ever before. The total membervile language.

Special Officer Egle, who, by the way, is a member of a prominent singingsociety of this section and who is quite an adjudicator of music, didn't like it, and in the endeavor to use moral persuasion Dolan became abusive, and as a result he spent the night in the Alder street police station. He will be given a hearing this morning.

PITHY PARAGRAPHS.

Fred Helving, of 1312 Beech street, while working in the Meadow Brook mine, yesterday morning, had his left foot badly hurt by a fall of rock. The unfortunate young man was taken to his home in the mine ambulance, where Dr. M. H. Quinn dressed his wounds. The Ladies' Aid society fairly outdid itself yesterday in its effort to prepare for the members of the Cedar Avenue Methodist church and friends He noted the abolition of slavery, a fine Thanksgiving dinner and supper, was shown by the large throngs which came to partake of the good things prepared by these culinary artists. The Loyalty club of the South Scran-

ton Young Women's Christian association will hold a Thanksgiving social this evening in their rooms on Codar avenue. The usual fine literary and musical programme will be a feature. The strong "Ragtime" foot ball team of this part of the city would like to meet the strong Avoca team on the

Avoca grounds next Sunday. An answer through The Tribune will be appreciated by Biglin, manager, or Phillips, captain.

The Fourteen Friends held a very pleasant social Wednesday evening at

Best's hotel, on Cedar avenue. Largely attended Thanksgiving services were held yesterday in the Hickory Street Presbyterian church, Hickory Street Baptist church, Prospec Avenue Church of Peace and the German Methodist church of Prospect ave-

Electric City council, No. 1541, will hold their next regular meeting December 6, in Hartman's hall, Pittston avenue. At that meeting eight members will be initiated and election of officers will also take place. All members are requested to be present.

The Ringgold band, the pioneer musical organization in Scranton, held their seventeenth annual ball and recention last evening in Athletic hall, Alder street. The hall was crowded with merrymakers, and dancing was indulged in until a late hour. The committee on arrangements were John B. Chase, George Hartman and N. O'Don-

Helen, the young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Doyle, of Fig street, is seriously ill with pneumonia.

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trict of Columbia, and points out the special danger to children from rabid dogs. Owing to the very serious expense to families in moderate circumstances in subjecting their children to the Pasteur treatment, he recommends either that the secretary of agriculture be authorized to pay for such treatment for parties bitten in the district, or that one of the medical services of the government be directed to furnish

such treatment free of charge. The report states that ticks received from Porto Rico nave been found identical with the well-known Southern cattle tick. The main problem still presented by the Texas fever question is the finding of a dip that will effectually destroy the tick without injuring Efforts in this direction are to be continued.

Division of Chemistry.

Elaborate work in the investigation of food adulteration has been continued. Over 500 samples of preserved meats of all kinds, purchased in open market, have been examined. The meat of the horse has been examined for the discovery of a method whereby it may be detected when sold under another name. Very little of it seems to be sold in the United States, whether under its own name or any other name. Active co-operation has been had with other bodies, notably the Pure Food congress, in an effort to secure legislation on the subject of food adulterations. National legislation on the subject is urged as essential to supplement and make efficient the work done in the several states. The sugar-beet work has been prosecuted with vigor and intelligence. Foreign food products introduced into this country have been the subject of careful study. The results are confidential and are used for the information of the authorities of this country controlling imported food products. Cooperation of the chief chemist has been invited in several other directions and always cheerfully extended. So, also, there has been co-operation with the other divisions of the department where chemical work has been neces-

Seed and Plant Introduction. Seed and plant introduction receives

extensive notice, special stress being laid upon the importation of cereals. including the macaroni wheats of Southern Europe, of grasses and forage plants, and of vegetables which have already demonstrated their value. The Klushu rice introduced from Japan has already added 1,000,000 bushels annually to the Louisiana rice crop. The successful introduction of date trees in Arizona is another valuable achievement. In concluding this subject Secretary Wilson cites the introduction of wheats from Russia, Hungary and Austria, greatly exceeding in yield our present varieties, and points out that if, as the result of these introductions, the wheat yield of the United States should be increased by but one bushel per acre, this would mean at the farm price for wheat in 1899, an addition of \$26,000,000 to the income of our farmers.

Forestry Work.

There has been a great growth in this work, which is of such a kind as to fully justify additional resources. Moreover, there has been an enormous increase in the demand, both public ship of the force at the highest last summer was 125. The public interest in forest matters is not only keene and wider than at any time before, but it is growing with residity beyond precedent. Co-operation in forest work has been sought of this department by the secretary of the interior in reference to the national forest reserves, and from the forest, fish and game commission of New York, for working plans for the New York state forest preserves. The total requests for working plans at the close of the year exceeded 50,000,000 acres, of which two and a half millions were private land. Personal examinations were made of 48 tracts in 14 states, covering nearly 900,000 acres, plans were actually prepared for 200,000 acres, and 50,000 acres were put under management. planting plans were made for 59 appli-

cants. The department is receiving with increased frequency applications for planting and working plans for watersheds from which cities obtain their supplies. A typical instance is that of the water company of Johnstown, Pa., one of the chief objects being

believes that a large amount of cheap and now unemployed labor among the colored youth in the Southern states could be made available for domestic silk culture; and he desires an appropriation of \$10,000 to set on foot reregarding the production of silk, to the end that the money now paid to foreign labor be distributed at

PARK PLACE.

A Thanksgiving dinner and supper was given in the lecture room of the Court Street Methodist Episcopa! church last evening, which proved a grand success.

Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Terwilliger and family spent Thanksgiving with Mrs. Terwilliger's parents at Easton. Mr. and Mrs. Milo Finn and family spent yesterday with friends in Hones-

Nelson Atherton, of Providence road, eft Wednesday for Savannah, Ga., where he has accepted a position with the Asphalt Pave company.

Miss Lizzie Morgan, a teacher at No. 21 annex, spent Thanksgiving with friends at Forty Fort.

OBITUARY.

Miss Edith James, aged 20 years, daughter of Mrs. Leah A. James, died Wedneschy nig.: at her home, 913 Eynon street, after a six months' dince. Deceased is survived by her mether, one brether, I. G. James, of Brooklyn, N. Y., and the following sisters, Mrs. T. M. Jeaus, Brooklyn, N. Y.; Mrs. Maria Unsworth and Mrs. August Miller, of Eynon street, and Mrs. Frank Noll, of Hampton street. The fuscual revices will be held at 2 o'clock Sunday atternoon in the Calvary Baptist church at Taylor, and will be conducted by Rev. H. H. Harris. Interment will be made in Forest Home cemetery, Taylor.

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friends for her many admirable qualities of head and neart. She became ill several months since, and the conditions for some weeks have been such that her death was no surprise to her friends. During her weeks of suffering she main-tained a spirit of Christian regionalism. to prevent a recurrence of the disaster there.

Domestic Silk Culture.

In 1899 the United States paid over \$32,000,000 for imported raw silk, and in 1900 over \$45,000,000. The secretary believes that a large amount of change in friends. During her weeks of suffering she maintained a spirit of Christian resignation and welf-comed the end, confident of the eternal reward. So richly deserved for her well-spent life. She is survived by her mother, Mrs. Andrew Devers. of the North End; one sister, Mrs. John Mcs. P. A. and M. J. Devers, of Idaho, Funeral announcement later.

ouncement later. Mrs. Sarah Nyc, the beloved wife of A. S. Nyc, died at her home on Adams avenue at 0.20 Nye, died at her home on Adams avenue at 0.50 o'clock yesterday morning. The deceased was a woman possessed of many sterling traits of character and noble motives, and will be sincerely mourned by a large circle of friends. She is survived by her husband and these, children, Mrs. L. A. Lange, Simon and Florence Nye, Versey, puties later. Funeral notice later.

Mrs. Val. Bliss, of Capouse avenue, mourns the less of her father, John Rushton, late of Macelesheld, England, for many years a silk manufacturer in that city. The Dickson and Providence silk mills will be closed this after-noon, Mr. Rushton was on his way to Scratton on, the big borne with his damptier, when be to make his home with his daughter, when be succumbed, at Paterson, N. J., to an attack of Bright's disease.

Funerals. The reneral of Mrs. John Mahon, of 205 Har-rison avenue, will be held at 9 o'clock this morning. Services will be conducted at St. Peter's eathedral and interment will be made in the Ca-The funeral of Daniel Donalue, of 521 Orchard street, will be held at 9 o'check tomorrow morning. Services will be conducted at St. Peter's cathedral and interment will be made in hedral cemetery.

the Cathedral cemetery.

TO DISCUSS CITY WATER. Special Committee to Confer with

President Scranton. Next Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock there will be a meeting of the special committee of select council appointed to consider the ultimatum of the Scranton Gas and Water company regarding the proposed increase in the

charge for water for city purposes.

President Scranton has been invited to attend and confer with the members of the committee. The city clerk has secured, at the request of the com-, Miss Nora E. Devers died at the home of her sister, Mrs. John McHale. No. 416 Olive street, yesterday morning, after a linguring illness. Miss Devers lived in the city all her life and was known and admired by a large circle of opened and examined at the meeting.